MYSORE BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 1888-89.

Circular No. 1692, *dated 2nd November* 1887.

The Comptroller has the honor to request that the Heads of Offices and Departments will be good enough to prepare their Budget Estimates of Receipts and Disbursements for the year 1888-89 and despatch them to this Office not later than the 15th December next.

As an exception the receipt budgets of the Districts may be deferred until the 15th January to enable the Deputy Commissioners to form reliable estimates for 1888-89, under the heads of Land Revenue, Forests, Sayer and Mohatarfa.

The figures to be entered under estimates for 1887-88 are those shown in the printed budget of this Office for that year. Full explanation should be given for any differences between the estimates for 1887-88 and 1888-89.

Forms of District Budgets will be supplied to the Deputy Commissioners from the Office of the Superintendent, Government Stationery, to whom they should apply.

To—The Treasury Officers, Districts and Taluks, Circular No. 1694, *dated 3rd November* 1887.

There being reason to apprehend that the accounts required to be kept by Licensed Stamp Vendors are not regularly examined, the Comptroller has the honor to draw the attention of Treasury Officers of Districts and Taluks to Rules 11 and 12 published with this Office Circular No. 807, dated 29th September 1870, which are reproduced in the margin for ready reference, and to request that special care may be taken in future to see that the accounts of Stamp Vendors are examined once a quarter as required by the Rules quoted above. It is also requested that when these accounts are completely written up they may be taken from the Stamp Vendors, a receipt being passed to them for the same and carefully preserved in the Treasury records.

Rule 11. The account books of Vendors will be sent for and examined once a quarter by the local Treasury Officer, in order to ensure their being properly kept up.

12. Stamp Vendors purchasing stamps for ready money will be required to keep the daily account No. II only.

A. RANGASWAMALENGAR,
Comptroller.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 3rd October 1887.

It is hereby notified for general information that the Annual Auction sales of sandalwood, the produce of Mysore, will be held in the undermentioned places on the dates specified against each, by the Deputy Commissioners and Forest Officers of the respective Districts :—

				Tons.	
Shimoga District.—Shikarpur Koti.	..	10th	November 1887.	250	more or less.
Anantapur do	..	14th	do	50	do
Shimoga do	..	19th	do	500	do
Tirthahalli do	..	25th	do	200	do
Kadur District.—Chikmagalur do	..	1st	December do	200	do
Hassan District.—Hassan do	..	7th	do	300	do
Mysore District.—Seringapatam do	..	12th	do	800	do
Hunsur do	..	16th	do		
Bangalore District.—Bangalore do	..	20th	do	150	do

Terms of Sale.—Those notified in the *Mysore Gazette* Nos. 34 and 35, dated 27th August and 3rd September 1887, respectively, and which will also be read out at the time of sale.